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In re application of:

Junichi OTSUKA et al.

Serial No: 10/045,578

Filed: January 11, 2002

For: DEVICE STATUS MONITORING SYSTEM,
DEVICE STATUS MONITORING METHOD,
AND A DATA STORAGE MEDIUM AND
OBJECT PROGRAM THEREFOR

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS
OF APPLICATION**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, Filing Date Granted," dated February 13, 2002, response to which is due April 13, 2002, enclosed are the following:

- A copy of the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted."
- A "Declaration and Power of Attorney" executed by the inventor(s).
- A check in the amount of \$1092.00 in payment of the filing fee.
- A check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the surcharge for late filing of the Declaration.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any underpayment to our Deposit Account No. 50-1314. A copy of this letter is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION
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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$352.
 - \$72 for 4 total claims over 20.
 - \$288 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1222.

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